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Field Marshal von Paulus, General von Seydlitz, and General Otto Korfes are alleged to be living in Moscow and to be working with the Soviet General Staff.

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2. High ranking Russian officers and Soviet civilians who are being treated by a former German Staff doctor in the Russian Zone of Germany have referred to General von Paulus' activities in the USSR. Some maintain that von Paulus is currently Inspector General of Soviet Artillery. Others state that, on Soviet order, von Paulus has organized an Ordnance Inspectorate. This, an exact copy of the German model, includes:

Tactical research section (Taktische Forschungsabteilung)

Technical bureau (Technisches Amt)

Army ordnance office (Heereswaffenamt)

Development section (Entwicklungsabteilung)

3. The Army ordnance office includes a number of inspection offices for the control of industry.

4. Political lectures are given to the inmates of Camp U/2 by German Communists trained in Russia. The camp, located about 15 kms from town, houses 3,000 PWs but contains no officers or SS troops. About 10 kms away is a larger camp for officers.

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